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## HOME (SPECIAL SECTION) DEPARTMENT

**NOTIFICATION** 

The 21st November 2008

FORM No. I

(See Rule 7)

**DECLARATION** 

**S.R.O. No. 553**/2008—WHEREAS it was alleged that Shri Laxmidhar Bhoi, S/o Late Shyamsundar Bhoi of Vill. Gitagram, P. S. Angul, Dist. Angul, State Orissa, while holding high public office in the State of Orissa, i.e. Ex-Divisional Forest Officer, Kenduleaf, Kuchinda, Dist. Sambalpur committed an offence under Clause (e) of sub-section (1) of Section 13 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 and that the matter was investigated in Berhampur Vigilance P.S. Case No. 71, dated the 28th December 1997;

AND WHEREAS on scrutiny of relevant materials available on record, the State Government is of the opinion that there is *prima facie* case of commission of the offence of Shri Laxmidhar Bhoi, who has accumulated properties disproportionate to his known sources of income by resorting to corrupt means;

AND WHEREAS it is felt necessary and expedient by the Government that the said offender should be tried by the Special Court established under sub-section (1) of Section 3 of Special Courts Act, 2006.

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 5 of Special Courts Act, 2006 (Orissa Act 9 of 2007), the State Government do hereby declare that the said offence shall be dealt with under the Special Courts Act, 2006.

[ No. 5332-C. ]

By order of the Governor

TARUN KANTI MISHRA

Principal Secretary to Government